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Building Program Progress Is Reviewed By School Board

Members of the Hamlin School Board of Trustees, in session Tuesday evening, reviewed the progress of the building program and expressed satisfaction as to the progress and building costs. Shortages of materials have greatly prolonged the completion schedule, but rooms are being finished to the extent that other grades will be moved into the new building within the next few weeks, which will greatly relieve the crowded situation before hot spring days begin.

The board also discussed the desirability and necessity of asking for a small bond issue soon for the purpose of completing the Primary Building, purchasing needed equipment, and making repairs to the high school building. It was pointed out that the needs of the district have grown greatly since the start of the new building program and the board is endeavoring to stay up with the progress and have facilities ready to take care for all the needs before the opening of the next school term. Along with these needs, the ability to provide facilities has increased since the evaluation of the district based on present uninflated renditions, total near \$4,000,000,000 as compared to \$1,900,000 at the beginning of the program.

Grain Prices Fall; Easiness General At All Markets

Grain prices fell, and easiness developed at some livestock markets last week. Other southwest farm products held steady to strong, according to latest report to The Herald from the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Grains opened the week with all their recent vigor last Monday, but fell rapidly on succeeding days to net losses of 3 to 15 cents. Wheat and grain sorghums, spearheads of past advances, felt most heavily the weight of bearish onslaughts. At Fort Worth and Galveston, bulk carlots of No. 1 hard ordinary wheat moved Friday at \$2.87 per bushel; and No. 2 milo at \$2.90 to \$2.93 per hundred pounds. Early-week strength at cotton spot quotations last Friday showed net losses of 25 to 50 cents per bale at some markets, to gains of 25 to 60 cents at others.

Egg and poultry prices continued firm. On the round of southwest markets, heavy hens brought 28 to 30 cents per pound; fryers and broilers 30 to 32. Egg sold on the average of 30 cents per dozen.

Cattle sold at prices as high or higher than the week before at most southwest markets, but steers and yearlings closed lower at Oklahoma City, as did yearlings at Fort Worth. Beef cows sold up to \$17 at Oklahoma City; while medium to good kinds brought \$13 to \$15 at Fort Worth; and \$14.50 to \$16.75 at Denver. Common and medium cows moved at \$12 to \$14.50 at Houston and Wichita.

Communion Service At Methodist Church Thursday, April 3

Plans are being completed for a special candlelight and Communion Service, which will be held at the First Methodist Church on Maundy Thursday, April 3, at 8:00 in the evening.

Dr. Will C. House, pastor, invites every Methodist of this community to attend this special service, preceding the Easter season.

On Sunday morning Dr. House will have for his subject, "He Took It Upon Himself." Sunday evening he will preach on the topic, "Jesus Comes to Town." The time of the evening service has been changed from 7 o'clock to 7:30.

Attends Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ducan attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. W. D. York, at Spur Sunday.

New Street Light System to be Ready in Next Few Days

Hamlin's modern street-lighting system will probably be turned on within a few days, according to B. M. Brundage, manager of West Texas Utilities Co. Barring unforeseen difficulties, transformers necessary for the high-powered system will be hooked up this week and the lines ready for energizing.

Crews are expected to start at once installation of the bulbs and bowls that will be suspended from metal fixtures now attached to the poles. Later the poles will be coated with aluminum paint.

Reflector type lights are being installed on Central Avenue south, to the Santa Fe railroad. Lights in residential areas will not be installed now, it was understood.

When lights are turned on Hamlin's downtown section will no longer be dark as it has since the failure of the old white-way lights. These will all be removed soon.

Three Hamlin Men Solo Tuesday At Aviation School

Three more air-minded young men of Hamlin soloed Tuesday at the local Lone Star Aviation School, according to local manager, J. R. Elliott. The three newest pilots are Doras Long, Dub Burgess and Jess Kelly. This makes a total of five soloing since the school opened here February 8.

Ground school instruction began Thursday night. Plans are being made for a spot landing contest among students. Winners of 1st and 2nd places here will compete with winners from the school at Abilene, Sweetwater and Snyder. A definite date for these contests will be announced later, but they will be held on Sunday afternoon.

The hangar will be completed next week. The concrete floor has already been run and work is progressing nicely. Visitors are welcome at any time, but aviation enthusiasts are urged to stay away from the planes when they are preparing to take off. Officials of the school do not want to spoil their clean safety record by having some on-looker seriously injured or killed because of carelessness. You should be at least 30 to 40 feet from the plane leaving the ground, it was stated.

Senior Class To Present "Come Over to Our House"

The senior class of Hamlin high school proudly presents their play, "Come Over to Our House," a three-act comedy, Friday night, April 4.

The three Eldridge youths, all bent on running their poor mother's life, learn the childishness of their selfish behavior. Mrs. Eldridge learns the importance of love.

Farm Leaders Consider Organization of A Farm Bureau In Jones County

Farm leaders met in Anson last Friday with Melvin Carter of Waco, Director of Organization, Texas Farm Bureau Federation, and decided that Jones County farmers should have an organization.

Walter Cook, of the Hodges community, was elected as temporary chairman to initiate the program in Jones County.

"Farm Bureau is the voice of agriculture in the United States; it is an organization of 1,200,000 members in 46 organized states," Mr. Carter said. "As industry has the National Association of Manufacturers and labor has

Abilene Firm To Purchase the Hamlin City Hall Property

Tulsa Drilling Company Sets Two New Tests for the Hamlin Area

Fifth Well Rigging In Radium Section

One of two new wildcats in the Hamlin area of Jones County has started drilling and another will start on April 20, it was announced early this week by the Exploration Drilling Co., of Tulsa. Operators started work Tuesday on the No. 1 G. C. Maynard, a 4,200-foot rotary test eight miles southeast of Hamlin, 330 feet from south and east lines of section 1, Block 358, Goliad County school land.

Scheduled to start April 20 is the Exploration No. 1 Guy E. Gabbart, a 4,500-foot rotary test four miles southeast of McCaulley, just east of the Fisher county line.

In central Jones, drilling had progressed below 5,000 feet on the McCarty Oil & Gas Corporation No. 1 W. J. Connell, Ellenburger test eight miles southeast of Anson. The test was unofficially reported drilling in the Marble Falls section and has taken several drillstem tests in and above that formation.

Plans are now being completed for one of the most unusual oil deals ever made in Central West Texas. More than fifty independent operators will participate in a deep test of all structures in the Wimberly field, stopping at the granite. It will be located at the structures highest point, the Church farm.

In the Chittenden area near Radium southeast of Hamlin, operators are rigging up the No. 5 Chittenden estate, a northwest offset. Permit is for 3,00 foot rotary test.

Official gauge of 141 barrels per day has been given the Skelly No. 5A Huddleston in the Eskota pool of Fisher County. This is reef pay from 4,392-4,419 feet.

The three tests in Stonewall County are: 1) making hole.

Trustee Election To Be Held Here Saturday, April 5

A trustee election is to be held in Hamlin Saturday, April 5, under terms of the Public School Law.

Terms expiring are Holly Toler and Fred Carpenter, but due to the consolidation program having been carried out during the past year, a re-organization of the board will be effected.

Voting place will be at the high school building with the polls opening at 8 a. m. and closing at 7 p. m.

Softball League First Game Here Tuesday, April 15

Sport lovers are looking forward to the opening of the softball season, Tuesday April 15. Nine teams are to participate in this league. All games will be played on the Hamlin field, which has a new lighting system, costing \$400. The Junior Chamber of Commerce contributed \$200 for this purpose and the Veterans of Foreign Wars paid the other half of this amount.

The opening night will feature a double-header, Wise Chapel versus General Crude Oilers, and Celotex versus Sylvester. The games will begin at 7:30. Matched games are also planned each week beginning next week, in preparation for the league games.

Plans are underway for a girl's softball team of Hamlin also. If you are interested in playing with this team, please contact D. A. McCoy.

All men eligible to work out with the VFW are urged to contact Cliff Reynolds, Sr. If you want to play with the Independents, get in touch with Sid Liles or Sol Branscum. For information about play with the General Crude Oilers, see Benny Ford or Ralph Hellums.

Other teams to participate in this league are Tuxedo, Rotan, Swenson, Wise Chapel, Celotex and Sylvester. Awarded winners of the league. Prizes amounting to \$500 will be test. First prize \$250; second \$150 and third \$100.

Telephone Official Expresses Regrets

R. B. Peterson, district manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company from Sweetwater, was here on business the past week. Peterson stated that the company wished to express regrets for the inconvenience caused by the recent one-day work stoppage here. He also expressed appreciation to subscribers for their understanding of the situation.

Final Cotton Gin Report Is Given

Census report show that 15,865 bales of cotton were ginned in Jones County from the 1946 crop in final report issued by Bowen Pope, special agent. A total of 42,614 bales were ginned in 1945, showing considerable difference in production.

Odessa Bronchos Baseball Team to Train in Hamlin

The City of Hamlin has invited and arrangements have been completed for the Odessa Baseball club here this spring, according to Mayor of the new Longhorn League to train Holly Toler. Odessa's entry is known as the Bronchos.

A. D. Ensey, formerly of Hamlin, is business manager of the club and was here Sunday completing arrangements for the training camp. The squad members will be quartered in various cabins at the old Hamlin Lake, west of town and they will train at the local athletic field.

Workouts will start on or about next Thursday, April 3, according to present plans. A number of exhibition games will be played in the local park before the league's regular playing season opens. Ensey stated that all ball players wishing to try out for the team are welcome as the league ruling requires seven "rookies or more on each club."

Ensey is a son-in-law of Mrs. B. S. Ferguson of here and is well known by many local people. He expressed his thanks to the city and people of the area who cooperated to give them the opportunity to train here.

School Census Is Now Being Taken By Carl Smith

Enumeration of the scholastic census of the Hamlin District is to be completed by April 1st, according to Supt. I. R. Huchingson. Carl Smith is taking this census.

"Since a bill now pending before the Legislature in Austin provides for a substantial increase in the per capita apportionment, it is of utmost importance that every eligible scholastic be placed on this census. Every child who will be six before September 1, 1947, and who has not passed his or her eighteenth birthday on that date, must be enumerated. This would include any person, without regard to whether they are married, have finished school, or have quit school, whose birthday is between and not including September 1, 1929, and September 2, 1942.

"Children who will be six on or before September 1st, and children who have moved into the District since last April are the ones mostly easily overlooked since a prior record has not been established. If scholastics are found who have not been enumerated after the census enumerator is known to have worked in that particular section, it will be of great benefit if a report is made to the school."

Bethel and Hamlin To Vote Saturday On Consolidation

Voters of the Bethel and Hamlin school districts will go to the polls Saturday to vote on consolidation of the two districts. Every eligible voter is urged to cast a vote on this issue.

The Bethel district is located to the north of the Hamlin district, and is a county line district of Jones and Stonewall counties. The consolidation of the Bethel district would add 46 square miles and 34 scholastics to the Hamlin district.

No school has been maintained by the Bethel district for several years.

Modern Ice Plant Be Located Here

Sale of the City Hall property to O. D. Dillingham, head of the Banner Ice Company of Abilene, was agreed upon at a meeting of the City Council with Mr. Dillingham last Thursday afternoon, Mayor Holly Toler informed The Herald this week. Attorneys for both groups are now preparing all necessary papers.

The deal calls for \$11,000 cash and the use of the lower floor by the city offices for a period of three years, rent-free. An option for two years additional (or any part thereof) at \$50.00 per month was also secured. Firemen are to vacate the upper floor.

Mr. Dillingham plans to rebuild at once the burned-out portion of the property. The front of the building will house offices and provide display space for appliances. Machinery will be installed to manufacture ice to supply Hamlin and several surrounding towns, it was stated. It was reported here that the new firm would employ at least 10 people at all times and 20 during the peak season.

Future plans call for handling of milk from producers whenever sufficient approved herds have been developed. This is not anticipated for some time.

Intrasquad Game Friday Night to End Spring Drills

Coach L. B. "Red" Howard will take the wraps off his 1947 Pied Piper football squad at Piper Field Friday night in a regulation game open to the public for a small admission charge. The squad will be divided into two groups, the Green and Whites, and a complete game will be played, to mark the end of spring football training.

At halftim, Coach Marvin Howard of the grade school squad, will trot out the Mighty Mice for two 10-minute halves so fans can see what the Pipers of future years will look like.

Kick-off time tonight is 8 o'clock. A few high school athletes will take part in the district track and field meet to be held at McMurtry College in Abilene, Saturday, according to Coach Howard. The county tennis meet will be unreeled at Anson Friday.

"The Farm House" To Have Formal Opening Saturday

Teddy Russell, manager, announces that the new Hamlin feed store, to be known as "The Farm House," will have its formal opening Saturday. It is located in the building formerly occupied by the Burgess Bakery. The building has been remodeled and modernized.

Mr. Russell states that his store will feature Abtex feeds for farmers and stockmen.

For the formal opening, coffee and doughnuts will be served visitors.

Stamps All-Star Quartet To Sing Here April 5

A concert by the Stamps All-Star quartet will be presented Saturday night, April 5, at the high school auditorium under the sponsorship of the American Legion Auxiliary. This quartet is featured over KWFT at Wichita Falls and are well known in this section.

The program will begin at 8:00 at the auditorium. Tickets may be secured at the door, or from the Pep Squad members or at Carpenter's Variety Store.

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Here's a Good Plan---Back It!

It has come to the attention of The Herald that several local parties have conceived a plan to pave about 30 blocks of city streets. The suggested portions lead to most important parts of town and cover heaviest-traveled streets, sponsors of the plan states. It has been laid before the Chamber of Commerce and will be presented to city officials for study also, it was understood.

This is a good start in the right direction. Let's get behind it at the proper time and get Hamlin out of the mud and dust and build for a cleaner town. The Herald suggests that plans be studied not only for a center strip but curbing and gutter work as well. An economical, orderly plan of developing paved streets over most of town should receive enthusiastic support of all.

Regardless of your own individual ideas about paving, we suggest that everyone get behind this move and attempt to work out the problem. Paved streets will pay dividends.

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Rigdon Edwards, Sr. Dies Sunday In California Home

Rigdon Edwards, Sr. 65, former Hamlin bakery operator, died at his home in Sacramento, California early Sunday morning after an illness of a few hours.

He was born in Alabama March 6, 1882, and came to Texas and Hamlin in 1913. He was in the bakery business from 1913 until 1921. He then moved to Anson and lived there until 1927. He later lived in Corpus Christi, Fort Worth and Sweetwater, before being transferred to California in 1942. He had been working for the Electrolux Corporation for the past 16 years.

Funeral services were held at the Ray Meissner Funeral Home in Fort Worth at 2 p. m. Thursday, March 27.

He is survived by three sons, Harry K., San Rafael, California, J. Howard Fort Worth and Rigdon Edwards, Jr., Sweetwater; four daughters, Mrs. R. L. Ticken, Martindale, Mrs. F. L. Perry, Nocona, Mrs. Calvin Templeton, Houston, and Mrs. James Stuart, Sacramento; two brothers W. B., Fort Worth and Donald, Blytheville, Arkansas; and three sisters, Mrs. Ed Cramer, Fort Worth, Mrs. Emersor Thompson, Wilson, Louisiana, and Mrs. R. E. Caldwell, Corpus Christi.

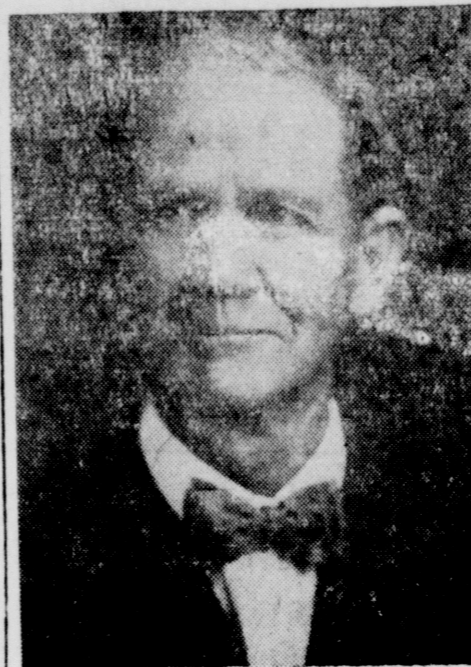
Former Hamlin Boy Featured in School Paper at Eastland

Kenneth Benham, formerly of Hamlin, was featured in the Junior Spotlight, a department of the high school paper printed in the Eastland County Record, last week.

He is called one of the most popular boys in the junior class. He is described as very cute, 15 years old, weighs 135 pounds, and 5 ft. 9 in. tall. He is fond of all sports.

In great matters men show themselves as they wish to be seen; in small matters, as they are.

W. N. Temple Celebrates 86th Birthday March 15



W. N. Temple

W. N. Temple, one of the oldest and most loved citizens of Hamlin, celebrated his 86th birthday Saturday, March 15 at his home here.

A number of his friends and neighbors called during the day to congratulate him and to present gifts of flowers, pot plants, boxes of candy, handkerchiefs and many useful articles of wearing apparel.

At four o'clock a birthday cake was placed before him. It was decorated in pink rose buds and 16 candles dies. The honoree and guests were served ice cream and cake.

Just following this, his granddaughter, Mrs. Tom Cammack and husband and son, Tommy, arrived from Lubbock, to climax the happy occasion.

The birthday celebration continued over into Sunday when Earl Temple and family from Lamesa arrived. They spent a happy day with him. On Monday, Mr. Temple was still receiving gifts and birthday greetings.

House Votes Extension Of Sugar Rationing

Legislation to extend rationing and price control of sugar until Oct. 31, 1947 and continuing allocation powers over it until March 31, 1948 was passed 286 to 54, by the House on Friday and sent to the Senate.

Unless the legislation passes, sugar rationing and control will end June 30 and allocation powers the end of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bryant attended the operetta "H. M. S. Pinafore" at Hardin-Simmons in Abilene Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnett spent the weekend in Dallas. He attended a sales meeting and they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Knott.

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March 30—April 6

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Sunday, March 30:

10:50 A. M. "The Identity of the Church"
J. Cleo Scott, Hamlin
7:30 P. M. "Why a member of the church"
J. Cleo Scott, Hamlin

Monday, March 31:

3:00 P. M. "The Church and Its Young People"
Walter Adams, Dean A. C. C., Abilene, Texas
7:30 P. M. "Missionary Work of the Church"
J. W. Treat, Language Prof. A. C. C. Abilene, Texas

Tuesday, April 1:

3:00 P. M. "Church Leaders"
W. R. Smith, Vice-Pres., A. C. C.
7:30 P. M. "Church Discipline"
W. R. Smith, Vice-Pres., A. C. C.

Wednesday, April 2:

3:00 P. M. "Teaching in the Church"
Fred Curtis, Anson, Texas
7:30 P. M. "Influence of a Church Member"
Cecil N. Wright, Northside Church, Abilene

Thursday, April 3:

3:00 P. M. "Scriptural Attitudes in Worship"
Glenn Wallace, College Church, Abilene
7:30 P. M. "Instrumental Music, Aid or Addition"
Glenn Wallace, Abilene

Friday, April 4:

3:00 P. M. "Benevolent Work of the Church"
O. B. Proctor, Northpark, Abilene
7:30 P. M. "The Second Coming of Christ"
Roy H. Lanier, Abilene

Saturday, April 5:

3:00 P. M. "Early Schisms in the Church"
George T. Baker, Roby, Texas
7:30 P. M. "Moderism in the Church"
Claude C. Smith, Eastland, Texas

Sunday, April 6:

3:00 P. M. "Our Plea For Unity"
7:30 P. M. "The Church To-day"
J. Cleo Scott

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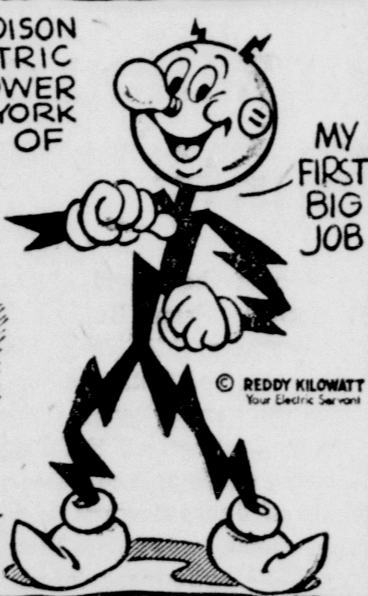


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Hamlin Memorial Hospital To Be A Fitting Honor to the War Dead

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Following the First World War, most nations erected a tomb for the final resting place of an "Unknown Soldier." In that consecrated spot they placed an ever lighted candle, as a token of our living memory. A grand and appropriate attempt to keep people conscious of the sacrifices paid for victory.

In Hamlin territory people are concentrating on efforts to create a Memorial of Service—The Hamlin Memorial Hospital, which is now becoming a reality.

The boys, who lost their lives to

save this country for us who live, never had a hospital in their beloved Hamlin country, and if their spirits could speak to us they doubtless would say "The best Memorial Hamlin people can erect is a modern Hospital where human suffering can be alleviated, where life may be saved, a something that can grow and expand and live."

The Hamlin Memorial Hospital will have a fitting memorial plaque and name panel in the reception room to carry in bronze, the date of birth, rank, name and date of death of all men of this area who lost their lives in the last two world wars. A living continuous indirect light will keep these names out in bold relief that all who come may see and remember. Nothing is more appreciated by a wounded soldier than a clean hospital, good doctors, kind efficient nurses and food and comfort. That is a good reason for making our memorial to our boys, a nice hospital.



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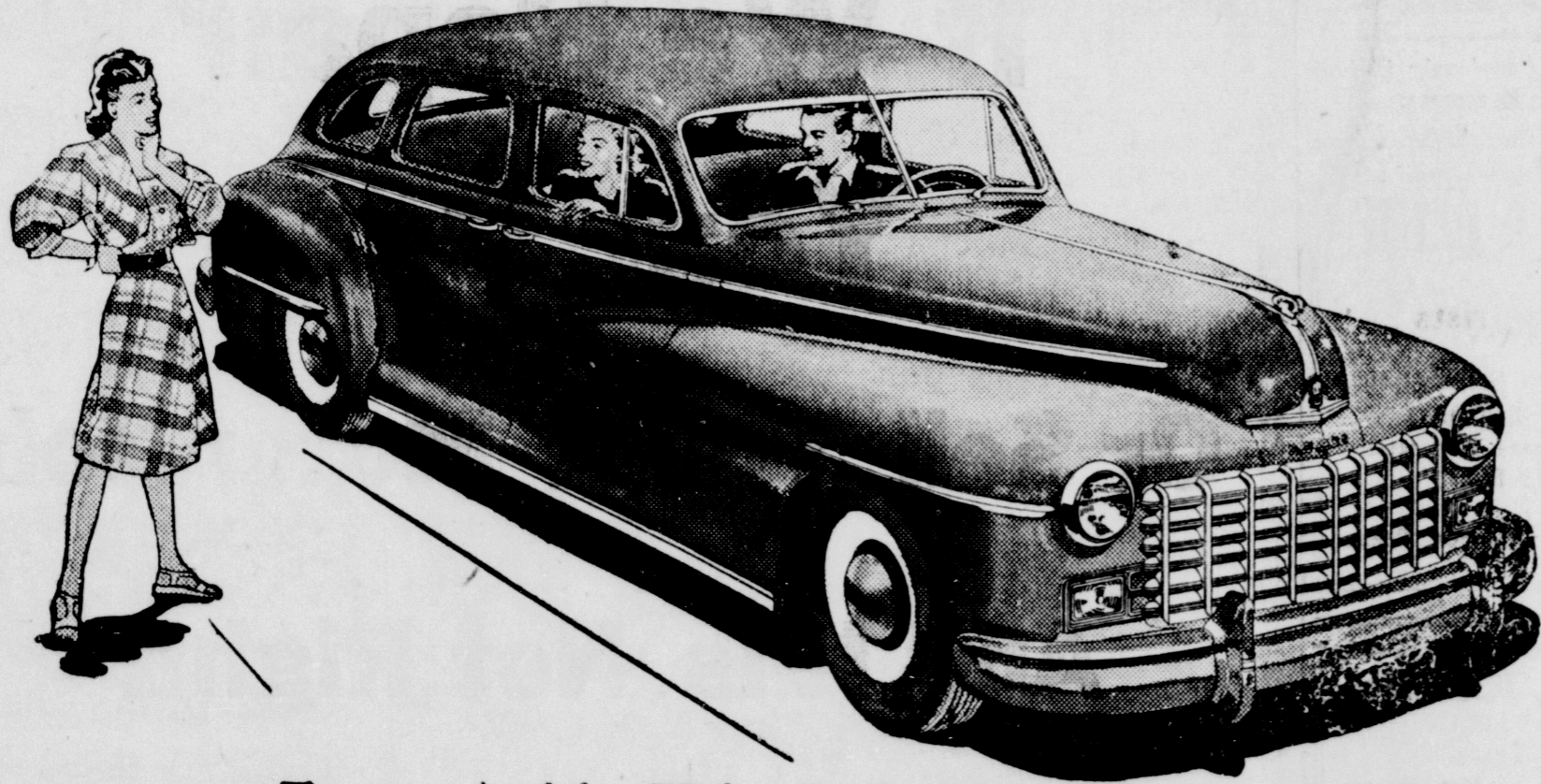


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In creating a monument to honor our war heroes, let us also bear in mind that present and future generations will be benefitted. The men cooperated and won a great victory, so, may we, in peace and prosperity, measure up to our responsibilities. Gratitude is one of the noblest trait of man and it should be expressed while memories are fresh. Thinking good things is fine but acting and doing is better. Contribute your share, if possible, to express your gratitude.

—Bowen Pope

Calvary Baptist Church WMA Meets

Mrs. W. E. Nunn entertained with a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. L. B. Bruner last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. B. B. King was co-hostess.

Delicious refreshments were served to twenty-four guests.

Several, who were unable to attend, sent gifts.

LITTLE THINGS

The power of little things to give instruction and happiness should be the first lesson in life, and it should be inculcated deeply.

—Russell H. Conwell

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HONEY CREAM, 1 lb box	59c
PORK-BEANS, Van Camps, No. 2 can.	19c
Peaches, Mountain Fresh, No. 2 1/2 can.	29c
Pineapple, Sliced, No. 2 can.	29c

IN OUR MARKET

Dry Salt for boiling	LB
Jowels	33c
Fresh	LB
Ground Meat	33c
Round	LB
Cheese	59c
T-Bone	LB
Steak	55c
Chuck	LB
Roast	39c

FRESH PRODUCE

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	LB
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worthy citizen for the year.

The honor was bestowed on a wo-
man—Mrs. H. R. Fleckinger. She
had charge of preparing and serving
the excellent dinner and M. B. Con-
ley, himself an outstanding citizen,
had gone into the kitchen and insis-
ted that she come out for the program,
which she did without suspecting the
reason for his insistence.

In eloquent words, Mr. Conoley
told of Mrs. Fleckinger's work as
as superintendent of the hospital and
her church and club activities, her
nurses training school for many years,
work as head of the Christmas Wel-
fare fund and in providing clothes for



HS' Cowgirls to Be In Stamford Tuesday, April 8

Abilene—"Farmer's Family Night,"
a community get-together at Stam-
ford Tuesday night, April 8, will
mark the first concert appearance for
the Hardin-Simmons University Cow-
girl band this school year. The pro-
gram will be presented in a Stamford
theater.

Included in the program will be
music of many varieties as the Cow-
girl organization swings out on mar-
ches and synopated novelties. The
girls will also seek to please their
listeners' musical palates with the
presentation of an artistic overture.
Solos are scheduled to be played
by at least two members of the organi-
zation.

Band director for the occasion will
be Dale Schoonover, university in-
structor in wind instruments.

The colorful Cowgirl musicians,
who are known throughout West Tex,
as for their many cleverly presented
concerts in the past, are best remem-
bered as a concert band. However,

these versatile musicians, who have
proven themselves equal to almost
every occasion, furnished some mild
surprise to local Hardin-Simmons
boosters, the Cowboy bandmen, at
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the needy, also as president of the
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vice during the war.

Embarrassed but happy too, Mrs.
Fleckinger could say only a few
words at the conclusion.

It is an inspiration to contemplate
such a life of service and Taylor hon-
ored itself in honoring such a noble
woman.

Sen. Buster Brown, of Temple,
favors a public instead of a secret
vote on governor's appointees to state
positions. The Senator, according
to an editorial in the Fort Worth
Press, is embittered because his fellow
Senators turned down some men that
his committee had approved. What-
ever his motive for advocating the
charge to a public vote, the Senator
is correct, though just a little slow in
advocatin a change.

However, the Senate in rejecting
some of the appointments made by
the outgoing governor just before he
went out of office—in effect said
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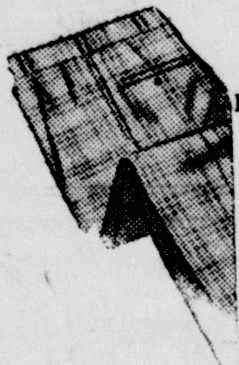
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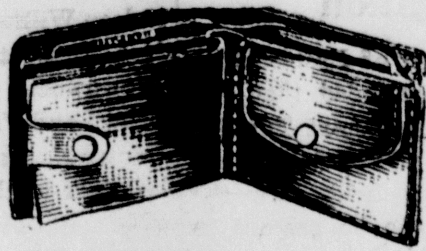
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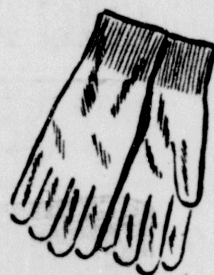
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SOCIETY

Literary Club Members Attend Club Convention

Mrs. Tarlton Willingham, delegate for the Hamlin Woman's Literary Club, accompanied by Mrs. R. D. Moore, Mrs. O. D. Roland and Mrs. Bowen Pope, left early Monday morning to attend the State Convention of

Federated Women's Club in Fort Worth. They were joined in Stamford by Mrs. George Kinney, a member of the Peirian Club there.

Mrs. Art Carmichael, Mrs. Stanley Carmichael and Mrs. Jim Howard King were also present for the convention Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. L. B. Bruner Is Honored With Pink-Blue Shower

Mrs. W. E. Nunn entertained with a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. L. B. Bruner last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. B. B. King was co-hostess.

Delicious refreshments were served to twenty-four guests. Several, who were unable to attend, sent gifts.

Calvary Baptist Church WMA Meets

Members of the Calvary Baptist Church WMA met at the church Monday afternoon at two o'clock. The lesson on different characters of the teacher, Mrs. W. E. Nunn, gave the Bible.

Eight members were in attendance.

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Mrs. Jimmy Simmons Hostess To Literary Club At Friday Meet

Members of the Hamlin Woman's Literary Club met at the Home Economics Department of the high school Friday afternoon with Mrs. Jimmy Simmons as hostess.

Mrs. O. D. Roland, president, was in the chair.

Mrs. Jim Howard King directed the program on "Safety and Health." Mrs. J. W. McCrary discussed "To-day, To-morrow and Public Health." Mrs. Herman Treadwell spoke briefly on "Safety In the Home."

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Treadwell April 4.

CES Chapter 406 To Hold Initiation

Members of Order of Eastern Star chapter 406 are reminded that this organization will meet next Tuesday night, April 1 at seven o'clock.

Initiation will be held with the Knox City chapter to be present to confer the work.

At Legion Meeting

Joe Culbertson, post commander and Fred Smith, adjutant, represented Keifer Patterson Post, American Legion, at a rally in Big Spring Saturday evening honoring the National Commander who is on tour of the nation.

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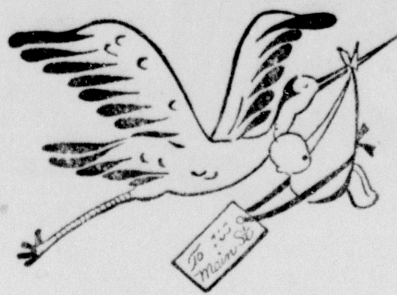
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Blessed Events



Coach and Mrs. L. B. Howard are the proud parents of a daughter, Sue Carolyn, born Tuesday, March 25. The little Miss weighed 7 lb.

Sunday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Harvick, H. B. Harvick, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Harvick and baby, all of Lemesa; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Williams and son Nick, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Harvick and baby of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brown and Virginia, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Neal and Kenneth, all of Hamlin, were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brown.

Dr. and Mrs. Brannon White and daughter, Linda Diane, of Stephenville spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.



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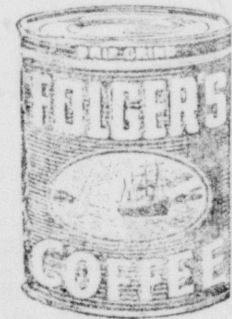
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Bits of News About Your Friends

Misses Herbie Fay Johnston of Dallas and Jeannine Johnston of Hardin-Simmons were here during the week-end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. May of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Rice of Roswell, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pemberton of Seagraves visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. May

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Mayor of City of Hamlin, Texas 17-5c

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"A recent count shows at least thirty-six whirlwind terracing machines operating in the district," stated Morrison W. Liston, SCS Unit conservationist. "Many other types are in use, such as heavy machinery mostly used by County Commissioners, farm plows, and small blades and frescoes."

With so many terracing machines operating, it has been difficult to keep tab on construction but a few of the cooperators reporting newly constructed terraces were: G. J. Smith, Gene Overton, Roy Wisman, Lena Quade, N. M. Hansen, W. B. Harrison, J. H. Scott, W. B. Apperson, W. A. Fisher, August Balzer, and J. A. Clark.

Others are: Swenson Land & Cattle Co., Paul Fisher, R. C. Ketron, M. L. Middlebrook, B. L. Martin, J. L. Tubbs, J. B. Pruitt, Herman Baitz, Eddie Kainer, V. W. Meadow, Herbert Kelso, Edgar Shugust and A. A. McDuff.

Other conservation activities now taking place consist of waterway construction and vegetation, establishment of contour cultivation, seeding of sweet clovers, and mesquite eradication.

Although rains and snow have in-

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Irwin and Boyce and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bryant were visitors in Colorado City Sunday afternoon.

Jimmy Kidd underwent an emergency appendectomy Sunday at the Stamford sanitarium.

Mrs. Heflin Miller and baby son, Heflin III, returned to Hamlin Sunday from Hendricks Memorial hospital in Abilene.

Mrs. L. P. Cozzen of Moody and Mrs. H. P. Hooper of Hamlin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hamlin.

terfered with clover planting, the following cooperators reported planting activities: Herman Olson, D. J. Davis, Harold Valliant, Alton Sealy, Ramsey Cox, Clyde Wright, T. A. Wiggins, Doc Valliant, Bruno Kupatt, W. T. Farrow, M. S. Reynolds, Claude

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Farm Leaders To Meet in Sweetwater

County agents, farm labor clerks and farm labor committee chairman from 10 counties are scheduled to meet in Sweetwater today for a district farm labor meeting, according to Nolan County Agent, M. B. Templeton, former Hamlin V. A. teacher.

Counties represented will be Jones, Fisher, Nolan, Shackelford, Taylor, Runnels, McCullough, Callahan and Eastland.

C. Hohn, head of the farm labor division of the Extension Service and Russel Patterson, district farm labor field worker, will be at the meeting.

LITTLE THINGS

Trifles discover character more than actions of seeming importance; what one is in little things he is also great.

It's just the little homely things, The unobtrusive friendly things, The "won't-you-let-me-help-you" things

That make our pathway light.

—Grace Haines

Michigan Couple Visit Tex Moores

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. La Francier of Traverse City, Michigan, who have spent the past winter in Corpus Christi, were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Moore.

Mr. La Francier is Vice-president of the Mutual Auto Insurance Company, of Michigan, and former mayor of Traverse City.

Mrs. La Francier is very art-minded, being an artist herself, and since meeting Tex Moore in Yellowstone Park 12 years ago, they were happy to visit him in his Texas home. They own several paintings which they purchased in Yellowstone Park, and Mrs. La Francier is highly complimentary of his work, stating that he is truly a great artist and that Texas should be very proud of him. They purchased several more paintings while here.

They not only enjoyed their visit with the Moores, but also meeting Dr. Joe Weir and Dr. J. W. McCrary. They extended an invitation to the Moores and McCrarys to visit them this summer at their beautiful resort on the lakes close to their Traverse City home. They have a lovely hunting lodge on the lake shore and a

large cabin cruiser, which they use to go trout fishing. Some of these trout weigh 30 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Joseph of Ranger spent the weekend here with Mrs. B. Hassen and family.

Mrs. Paul Bryan has been in Stamford sanitarium this week for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt and family spent Sunday at Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dean.

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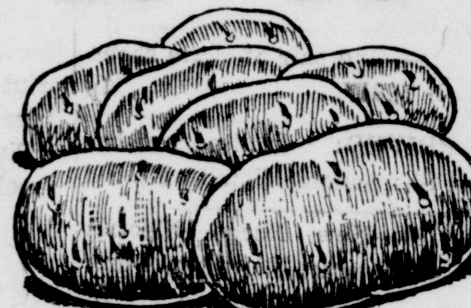
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Mrs. Mose Jones At 97 Has Great Many Descendents

Mrs. Mose Jones was honored with a dinner and open house at the home of her son, M. T. Jones, of the Plainview community, Sunday, March 16, in celebration of her 97th birthday anniversary, March 18.

Forty-eight guests were present for lunch and 128 registered during the day. She also received 150 cards and letters from friends and relatives from near and far.

She was born Becky Huckaby in 1850 in Dallas county, Missouri, and came to Texas with her family at the age of 8 years, settling in Montague county.

In June, 1870 she was married to Mose Jones and the couple moved to Callahan county in 1875. They

moved to Jones county in 1900.

She has eight children, Wont Jones, Cross Plains; Sam Jones, Spur; Dike Jones, Elkhart Bob and John Jones, Mrs. Laura Tubbs and Mrs. Oma Herndon, all of Anson; and M. T. Jones of Plainview community. She has 33 grandchildren, 62 great-grandchildren, and 12 great-great-grandchildren.

HERALD Want Ads Get Results.

Fisher County Dairy Show To Held at Rotan

Plans are completed and everything is in readiness for the Fisher County Dairy Show which will be held in Rotan on Friday, March 28, according to L. E. Turbeville, county agent. Jersey breeders and 4-H club FFA boys from Fisher, Scurry, Nolan, Stonewall, Jones and Kent counties will participate in the show this year which promises to be the largest of the kind held in the county.

Only registered animals will be in position on the show grounds by nine o'clock on the day of the show, with the junior judging to begin at 10 o'clock, and the class judging to start at 11 o'clock. Money prizes will be given winners in the junior Jersey show, which is scheduled to precede the adult Jersey breeders show. The top three winners in each class showing of the junior show will be entered in competition with adult exhibit winners.

Methodist Youth Fellowship Plan Full Program

A full program for the young people of the First Methodist Church has been planned under the leadership of Mrs. Q. Don Gould, counselor.

The Youth Fellowship group met last Sunday evening with 35 juniors, intermediates and young people attending. A light supper was served, a sing-song held, games played and a fellowship meeting was thoroughly enjoyed.

Dr. Gould gave a very interesting talk on "Prayer." Mrs. Tom Teague and Mrs. Joe McCrary also work with this organization, assisted by other volunteer helpers. Mrs. C. P. Yates worked with the group at this meeting.

The group will meet again at 6 o'clock next Sunday, and light refreshments will be served by the adults.

Every young person of the Methodist Church is urged to be present next Sunday evening, and participate in this fellowship hour.

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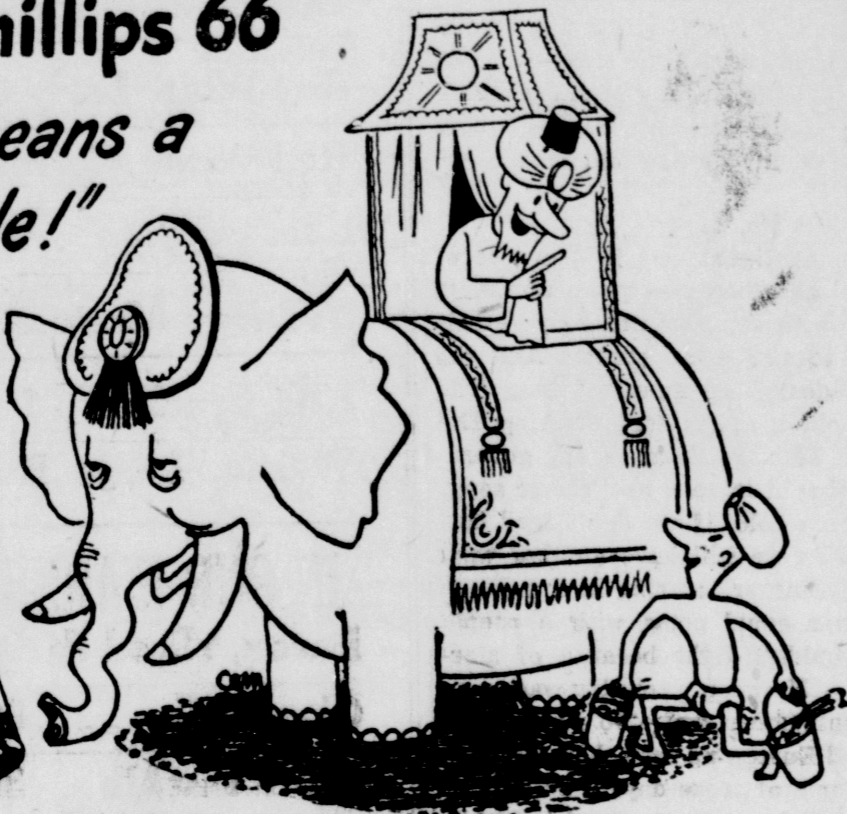
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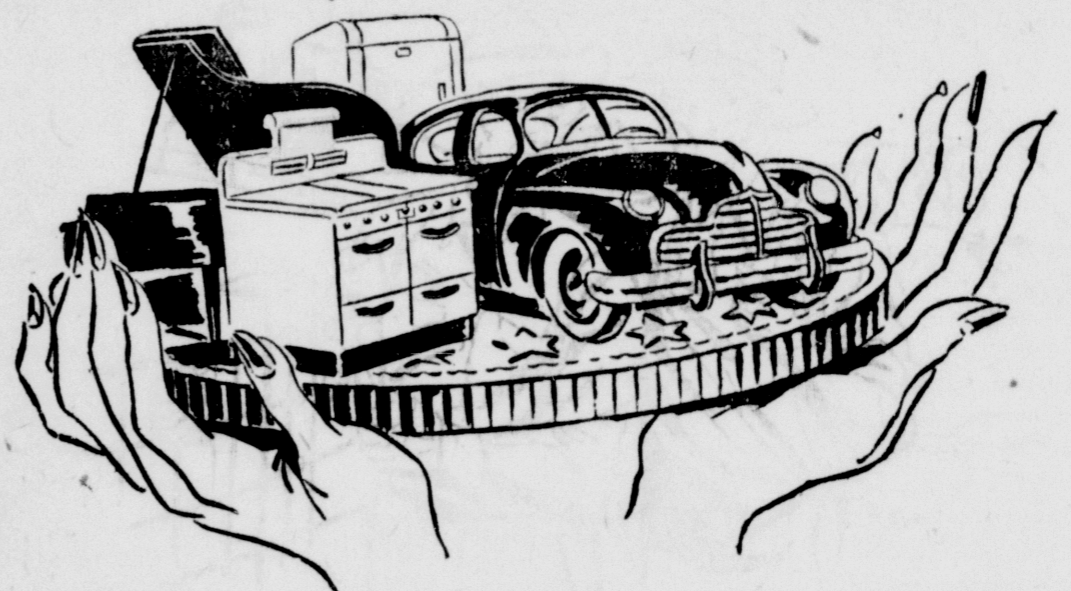
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POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

A trustee election will be held at the McCaulley Gin office Saturday, April 5th for the purpose of electing three trustees for the McCaulley school district. All qualified voters then you have no "gripe" a coming. should vote, in fact if you don't vote You may also vote for one county board member, no name will be on the ticket for this, so you may be think-

ing about who you want for the place and write in said name. Frankly, any man or woman who is not progressive enough to want to see our school grow has no business on the school board or the county board.

The Blackwell Oil and Gas Company lease south of town has been sold to Streetman Investment Company of Graham, Texas. The new owners

will continue with oil production as well as drill for more oil. George Maberry has been employed by the new management as head pumper of the field.

Fisher county folks are looking forward to a bumper crop this year; folks are turning back to the old money crop "king cotton." Farmers who haven't planted a stalk of cotton for 4 years will plant many acres this year.

Folks who a few years ago were hoping for the war to end are now wondering when World War III will start. It may not be long folks.

Levi McCollum is much improved after two major operations in a Abilene hospital.

S. E. Miers is visiting his daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reeves in Fort Stockton for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jones, Mrs. Tom Nall and Mrs. L. B. Miers visited last week end with parents Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jones at Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beavers have returned from Borger, Texas where they have been at the bedside of Mrs. Beaver's mother who was gravely ill. We understand that Mr. Beavers is being transferred to Tyler, Texas for the Blackwell Oil and Gas Co., he has been supt. of their holdings here until their oil leases were sold last week to Streetman Investment Co., f Graham. Mrs. Beavers having operated the McCaulley Cafe for past year will sell her interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Clifton from Imperial were Sunday visitors in home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rector

A. D. Ensey, business manager of the Odessa baseball club and a member of the West Texas-New Mexico league was in McCaulley and Hamlin last Sunday seeing friends and making

arrangements to train his ball club at Hamlin beginning April 3rd. A. D. tells us that he welcomes all base ball players to come to Hamlin to try out with the club especially those who wish to play professional ball. So you good ball players better turn out and try to make the team, there is a future in baseball if you get the job done. There will be exhibition games played in the Hamlin park we are informed during the training period of the Odessa club and a chance for we "cow hands" to see some good games. A. D. is a promoter and we wouldn't be surprised to see him go places with the Odessa club.

Sterill Allen Griffith has returned to army base after a two weeks visit with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Griffith. Until recently he has been stationed in Washington.

Comment No. 1.

The continual rise in the cost of living has become quite alarming. Folks with small incomes have their noses to the grind stone. And the whole deal is so un-called for. The same old story, is feed starving Europe. The big shots of our government should learn a new theme song.

We are told, if we don't feed Europe then we will have another war. We have never been able to figure out how war could come with a people who couldn't fight because of starvation. How can a country wage war on empty stomachs? To be sure, if we feed Europe and send them supplies then some of these days they will be able to fight and our scrap iron will come back to us in the form of bullets.

Millions and millions of dollars worth of war material in the U. S. have already been scraped, our army camps torn down—and yet a peace with Germany and Japan has not been

signed. Even if a piece was signed by all the big powers, same would only be piece of paper which amounts to nothing. Governments all over the world change over night and that's one reason signatures on peace documents mean absolutely nothing. Yes, the

big boys want to make loans to start up Europe, they have something to sell but the mothers and fathers of children to sacrifice in order for a few millionaires to get rich quicker.

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